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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows.

Amendment of the claims begins on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 22.